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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Kathryn D. Coffman et al.
Application No. : 09/754,027 Confirmation No.: 2032
Filed : January 3, 2001
For : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ELECTRONICALLY
COMMUNICATING WITH SUPPLIERS, SUCH AS UNDER
AN ELECTRONIC AUCTION

Docket No. : 243768037US (25MB-0037)

Date : May 18, 2001

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

AUTHORIZATION FOR EXTENSIONS OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A)(3)

Sir:

With respect to the above-identified application, the Commissioner is authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) for its timely submission as incorporating a petition therefor for the appropriate length of time. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0665.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant herewith petition the Commissioner of Patents under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for filing the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 21, 2001, from April 21, 2001 to May 21, 2001. The petition fee of \$110.00, and any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,
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